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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: R. William Ezell
Serial No.: 10/629,020
Filing Date: July 28, 2003
Art Unit: 2611
Confirmation No.: 7621
Examiner: Unknown
Title: *MULTI-RANGE TRANSCONDUCTOR
AND METHOD OF OPERATION*

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

FIFTH REQUEST FOR STATUS

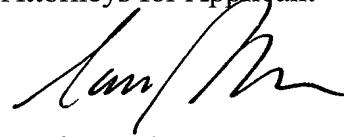
Applicant respectfully inquires as to the status of the above-identified patent application. Applicant previously filed a Fourth Request for Status on July 19, 2006. Applicant has not received any communication on the merits. Accordingly, Applicant is filing this Fifth Request for Status to respectfully inquire about the status of the present application, and in particular to request notice of when the first Office Action on the merits will be issued.

REMARKS

Applicant does not believe any fees are due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts LLP. If there are any matters that can be cleared up through a telephone conversation, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicant at (214) 953-6581.

Respectfully submitted,

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